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County Aid May Be Solicited In Forest Control

Forest Chief Offers Solution For Control of Tree "Bootleggers"

Guerdon Ellis of Nevada City, supervisor of the Tahoe National Forest, who was here Tuesday on a routine check of the district made the none-too-surprising estimate that approximately $50,000 worth of trees are taken illegally during the Christmas tree harvest period.

Ellis declared that in one season alone some $25,000 worth of illegal trees were apprehended by his scant crew of enforcement officers and estimated that this amount could easily have been doubled since, he said, it is quite probable that less than half are caught.

The supervisor offered a suggestion for curtailing this heavy loss, suffered principally by private land owners. He discussed the proposal with H. G. Loehr, chairman of the Nevada County board of supervisors, and indicated he would seek the assistance and cooperation of the board to further the plan.

Because of a dirth of enforcement officers in the forest service personnel, and with the added difficulty of procuring additional help from funds allocated by Washington, the supervisor proposed that the county supervisors employ sufficient extra deputies to patrol Highways 40 and 50 and Route 89

Funds to County

Under this procedure, illegal haulers would be easily apprehended, the trees confiscated and sold and the proceeds from both fines and sale of trees would go into the county coffers, probably more than offsetting the cost of employing the deputies for the harvest period of six weeks or two months.

The private owners and county taxpayers would be protected under this setup, and at the same time tree harvesters and haulers with honest intentions would be protected against unfair competition, Ellis declared.

While Loehr could not express an official opinion, he seemed to favor the idea and promised to give it serious consideration when it comes before the board at some future date for discussion.

SPORTSMEN WILL CONFER DEC. 19 AT NYACK LODGE

Sportsmen were reminded this week by Johnny Ciardella, president of the Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen, of the meeting to be held next Wednesday at Nyack Lodge when members of the state fish and game commission will be on hand to discuss pending projects affecting all hunting and fishing in the area.

Those desiring to attend but who have no transportation are asked to contact Ciardella. State Senator Harold Johnson of Roseville will be the main speaker at the dinner meeting starting at 7:30 p.m.

Birthday Observance Precedes Visit to Bay

Mrs. Joseph Straub entertained Sunday, December 9, in honor of their son Joe's sixth birthdate.

Mrs. Straub and sons, Monte and Joe, went to Berkeley on Monday where they will visit relatives for a week, leaving by automobile with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tonini who will spend their vacation at Morro Bay.

Dessert, Theater Party Honors Patricia Scott

With the Christmas theme as its setting, a pretty dessert birthday party featured the 6th birthdate of Patricia Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scott, Friday, December 7. Games were enjoyed and after the opening of gifts, the young guests were served ice cream snowballs and angel food cake After dessert, the children attended Donner Theater. Those invited were Edna Gifford, Kathryn Barrett, Donna and Carol Gracik, Marcia and Barry Leamon, Lynn Bays, Linda McEwen, Diana Kaspian, Virginia Barnes, Terry Walker, Douglas Nelson, Patti Finnegan and Theo Scott.

Pythian Sisters Christmas Is Party Set For Dec. 27

A regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters will be held tonight at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Hazel Robert. presiding. Officers will be elected for the coming year and plans made for the Christmas party to be held December 27. Refreshments will be served.

Anniversary Time—

Mr. and Mrs. William Currar celebrated their wedding anniversary Saturday, December 8.

Four Cited After Three Collisions On Local Roads

Three motor vehicle accidents, none resulting in injury to any of the occupants of the six cars involved, but bringing citations to four drivers, were reported by the California Highway Patrol for the past week.

Kenneth Simpson Jr., South Dakota, was cited for speeding and not having his vehicle under control after a collision with Frank Kirkland, San Mateo, on Donner Grade Saturday morning at 11:00 o'clock. Patrolman Roy Stallard investigated.

Stallard also issued a citation for speeding and being on the wrong side of the road to John Wycoff, San Diego, whose car skidded into the path of a truck driven by Darrell Adams of Nebraska on Donner Grade Saturday at 2:45 p.m.

Both drivers were cited in a crash between cars driven by William DeFord and John Bryne, both of Sacramento, on the Flycasters Grade Sunday at 9 p.m. DeFord was cited for speeding and Bryne for being on the wrong side of the highway. State Patrolman Martin Sturcke investigated.

OLYMPIC SKIERS AT SUMMIT ON NEXT WEEKEND

SODA SPRINGS— A preview of the 1952 U. S. men's winter Olympic team will be be seen at Soda Springs on Sunday when, starting at 1 p.m., the racers will perform on a Soda Springs course.

On Saturday and Sunday, the team will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brant Chaplin at Soda Springs Hotel. Slated for action Sunday are all team members now in the vicinity, training under Emile Allais. The squad includes Donner Summit's own Dick Buek; Jack Reddish, Jim Murphy and Darrell Robison, Salt Lake City, Utah; Jack Nagel, Skyomish, Wash.; Dave Lawrence and Brooks Dodge, Hanover, N. H.; Alan Fischer, Portland, Ore.; Verne Goodwin, Pittsfield, Mass.

Those in charge of the Sunday event at Soda Springs said spectators desiring to support the team may purchase decals in the form of Olympic crests.

The Olympians will leave California late this month and will leave New York for Europe shortly after the New Year.

Wolerts Leaving on First Leg of Mexican Junket

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolert planned to leave today for Tracy where they will visit before starting their three months' vacation trip to Mexico. Wolert said he might possibly return prior to leaving for the south but has made all arrangements for the trip.

Alameda Girl Injured In Fall from Squaw Lift

RENO— Marilyn Johnson, 21, California coed from Alameda, was recovering yesterday from back injuries she suffered Sunday when she fell 25 feet from a chair lift in Squaw Valley.

Her physician at Washoe Medical Center said the girl suffered a "moderately severe back injury" and would be hospitalized a week before returning to her Alameda home.

Miss Johnson said, "I don't know exactly what happened. I climbed onto the chair lift and suddenly I found myself hanging by my hands in midair. I couldn't hang on very well, and I fell off. That's all I remember."

Attendants said she probably got onto the chair off-balance and tumbled out.

University Seeks Water For Study of Fishes

SACRAMENTO —(C. N. S.)— The state division of water resources said today that the University of California had filed an application asking use of 0.089 cubic foot per second of water from two unnamed springs, tributary to Little Truckee River, for domestic and fish culture purposes.

Mrs. Frank Gaiennie is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sykes in Oakland.

Traffic Drop Is Noted But Still Heavy Over 40

November Travel Decline Drops Truckee Into 4th Place

Auto traffic into California by way of the Truckee quarantine station dropped from 33,560 in October to 21,760 during November, the state department of agriculture reports in its monthly summary. The drop of approximately one-third put Truckee into fourth place as a port of entry into the state.

At the same time, the summary shows that only 3,599 cars were checked into the state over Highway 50 at Stateline.

Added to the cars entering via Truckee were 2923 trucks and 621 stages, as compared with 216 trucks and eight stages over Highway 50 by way of Stateline. The passenger count at the Truckee station was 68,204 and at Stateline 8,903, the report indicates.

California's traveling population went out of the state and then came back in at almost as great a rate as foreign cars and passengers during November.

That's what the department of agriculture, which keeps tab on such goings on at its plant quarantine stations, said.

The department noted that 100,244 out of state cars entered California during the month. But it also reported 95,076 California cars came into the state during the same period.

As for passengers, the out of staters totaled 251,648, while returning Californians totaled 238,983. Busses brought in 75,532 persons.

NEW ENTRANCE AT CHURCH HERE READY SUNDAY

Work on the Community Methodist Church is progressing and the pastor, Rev. A. A. Carmitchel, is issuing an invitation to attend services there. The new entrance and stairway will be finished this week and a furnace is planned for installation as soon as possible.

Church school is held each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. with E. H. Risden, superintendent, in charge, and morning worship is at 11 o'clock, with the topic this Sunday being "The Masterpiece that Came from God."

FREE THROWS DROP LOCAL QUINTET IN GAME LAST NIGHT

Missing 20 out of 25 free throws, the American Legion town basketball team bowed before the Western Mercantile of Sparks 46 to 43 on their home court last night. Sparks by contrast sank 10 of their 18 free ones.

The score by quarters was 6-9, 16-20, 31-40 and 43-46, with the locals trailing throughout. Truckee Forward Al Wakefield highpointed the game with 19. Jim Flynn bucketed 10 more points for the home team.

Next Saturday night, Truckee will travel to the lair of their archrivals, the Colfax Fireballs. Returning home, a game here next Wednesday night will pit them against Bear's Copenhagen five of Sparks.

O'Rourke Tells of Work Getting Ready to Teach

W. J. Smisek presided at a regular meeting of the Parents and Teachers Association Monday evening, December 10. Everett V. O'Rourke, district superintendent of schools, talked on the preparation required before the beginning of class work each semester.

Karen Walker Tendered Fourth Birthdate Party

The Christmas motif was carried out in the decorations for the party of Karen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker, who was four years old December 11. Small friends invited for the afternoon were Fosten Wilson, Cathy Street, Marcia Leamon, Burnell Phipps, Sheila Barrett, Douglas Nelson and Ronnie and Terry Walker.

Sun Beams

by Walter M. Barrett

The proposal by Tahoe Forest Supervisor Ellis that the county employ additional deputies during the Christmas tree harvest to protect property owners from a heavy loss annually and at the same time add to the treasury through fines and sale of confiscated trees warrants serious consideration. The plan offers many good angles. It would protect legitimate dealers, discourage "bootlegging" and perhaps more than pay for its cost. Men stationed on the principal highways leading out of the forest could check every load and each cutting area, thus eliminating losses. Unfortunately, the forest service is not equipped to do the policing job as thoroughly as required. Despite unpaid long overtime hours, rangers and others on the staff can do no more than scratch the surface. Something should be done and the idea promises a workable solution for next winter.

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Caution to prevent fires in the home is more necessary these cold days than ordinarily. Overheated stoves, broken or soot-filled chimneys, clothes or draperies too close to flames are all common causes of home fires. Another frequent cause is the careless use of the Christmas tree. Fire prevention experts urge that only green trees be used and that the base be placed in water to prevent them drying. A guy wire should be used to anchor the top of the tree firmly to prevent its falling and electric wiring should be thoroughly checked. Don't smoke near the tree. Those pitch-filled needles are highly inflamable and should be treated as such. Let's make it a merrier Christmas by preventing fires in the home.

DEADLINE NEARS FOR SUN'S EDITION OF GREETING ADS

Next Thursday the Sierra Sun will present its annual Christmas edition, featured by greeting ads from the scores of local merchants, businessmen and officials who take this means of extending greetings to their friends throughout the district.

Those who have not already ordered ads may do so by calling the Sun before Saturday.

In the meantime, these same merchants this week and next are offering, through the columns of the Sierra Sun, numerous suggestions for Christmas shoppers and it will pay you to scan the ads for the variety of gifts obtainable at local stores from now until Christmas.

Many stores are remaining open evenings to accommodate patrons unable to visit the stores during the regular hours.

Clepper Resigns CAA, Will Manage Rasco

Cecil Clepper, for more than 10 years associated with the CAA and most of that time on Donner Summit, has resigned the position to accept the management of Rasco, local electric and sporting goods store. He will assume his new duties immediately and his resignation with the government becomes effective Saturday.

Clepper has been employed part time at Rasco for some years and is thoroughly familiar with the store and its operation. He is well known in Truckee, where he and Mrs. Clepper have resided for seven years. James Leamon, former Rasco manager, resigned recently to work for the Mountain-Rotary Fuel Company.

Son of Truckee Couple Is In Service Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. James Harris have received word from their son, Mickie, now with the Air Force in Florida, regretting the fact that he will be unable to be home for Christmas. The young airman is in a service hospital receiving treatment for an infection which developed following a minor operation.

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Christmas Programs Will Feature Week's Activities

A program of choral music for the Christmas season will be presented by the Tahoe-Truckee High School student body next Sunday evening. It will begin at 8 o'clock in the high school cafeteria.

The program follows:

7th, 8th and 9th Grade Chorus

Masters in This Hall and Angels We Have Heard on High, French carols; Adolph Adam's Oh Holy Night, Scott Gilmore, soloist, and Diana Abbott, accompanist; Hark the Herald Angels Sing, Mendelsohn; Oh Sanctissima, Italian carol.

High School Chorus

Kyrie Eleison, Gregorian chant; Adoramus Te, Christe by Palestrina; Carol of the Bells, Ukranian carol; Carol of the Birds, Spanish carol, Toni Street, soloist, and Dorene Quam, accompanist; Come All Ye Shepherds, Moravian carol; Bach's How Brightly Beams the Morning Star; My Sheep were Grazing, German song; Handel's While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks; God Rest You, Merry Gentlemen, English carol, by men's quartet; Deck the Hall, English carol; Rise Up, Shepherds, and Foller, Negro spiritual; Mary, Mary, Where is Yo' Baby, Negro spiritual; The Heavens are Declaring, Beethoven.

Personnel

The high school chorus, directed by Ernest Douglas, lists among its members Toni Street, Adonna Goodpasture, Margi Osburn, Scott Gilmore, Evelin Stinchfield, Joelly Ashton, Janice Buehler, Margaret Speeter, Roberta Peden, Joan Beyer, Audrey Ann Goodpasture, Dorene Quam, Lois Preston, Diana Abbott, Marles Rau and Ella Mae Mercer.

Also included are Sharron Grow Alberta Cooper, Collette Morhain, Jeep Reid, Russ Harried, Tom Grow, Leigh Rovzar, Dael Rich, Jerry Quam, Charles Cozzi, Dale Fuson, Earline Jones and Jo Anne Simms.

To Present Tableau

A tableau will be presented in conjunction with the choral program. Taking part in the tableau are Bill McLain, David Germain, Easton Buehler, Barbara Hall, Shirley Tiedemann, Loma Sorensen, Sharon Pace, Buddy Romanov, Jay Stuart, Irene Goicoa, Bob Tonini, Charles Ed Smith and Ronnie Sanford. Sets and lighting are being worked out by the arts and crafts department under the direction of Robert Briggs. Costumes and choir are being made by the homemaking department supervised by Miss Mary MacDonald. The narrator will be John Moore.

Immediately following the program, refreshments will be served by members of the high school PTA and the audience will be given an opportunity to visit newly-completed classrooms in the main school building. Everyone in the district is invited.

Friday evening, December 14, will mark the last children's recreational evening to be held by the American Legion and Parents and Teachers Association until Friday, January 4 of next year, due to the numerous pre-Christmas activities planned for the young people of the community.

Santa is Coming

On Saturday afternoon "Slim" Schaible will have his dogs and sled running the main part of town as a prelude to the program to be sponsored by the F.O.E. Auxiliary

The date of the out-of-doors program has been changed from Thursday evening, December 20, to the evening of December 21. The event will be staged from a platform near the community tree with the local high school glee club, directed by Ernest Douglas, to be heard in several seasonal selections.

Santa Claus will appear and distribute gifts to the children, assisted by members of the Girl Scouts. The Boy Scouts will direct traffic in the area.

Three young accordion players Bob Tonini, Charles Cozzi and Yvonne Briones, will add their talent to the program.

School Program

Richard Davis, principal of the Truckee Elementary School, announced that a Christmas Festival will be held in the school edifice on Wednesday afternoon, December 19, at 2 p.m., and to be repeated Thursday evening, December 20, at 8 o'clock.

Santa to Visit

Santa Caus will pay a visit to the Truckee Elementary School classes on Friday, December 21, at 1 p.m. and pre-holiday parties will also be held in the individual class rooms.

Party Tonight

Donner Trail elementary school will hold its Christmas party tonight, while similar programs will be held at Kings Beach, Tahoe City and Truckee elementary schools on December 20 and 21, District Superintendent E. V. O'Rourke said.

Telephone Rates Hiked To Cover Pay Raises

Local telephone users this month noted small increases in their statements with an accompanying explanation from the Pacific Telephone Company. This explanation pointed out that during the past summer telephone company employees received a general wage increase and that the current raise, authorized by the California Public Utilities Commission, was nothing more than to offset this increase in salaries.

The residence service increase was from 20 to 30 cents per month, while the business service went from 50 to 75 cents more.

The company said that the new rates "enable us to pay the wages needed to keep capable people on the job to serve you. The new rates are applicable over the entire state.

SUMMIT UTILITY ELECTION DEC. 18

SODA SPRINGS— Voters of the bi-county Donner Summit Public Utility District will decide whether or not to keep the district in force at an election next Tuesday, December 18.

The polls, to be located at Donner Summit Lodge, will be open to qualified electors from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Going South—

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Waggoner of Donner Lake are planning to leave on a trip to Florida.

RULES ARE GIVEN FOR C. C. CONTEST FOR DECORATORS

The Truckee Chamber of Commerce this week announced the rules for its annual Christmas decoration contest which will end on December 21 with the awarding of prizes at the community tree on the plaza.

The rules follow:

1. Displays must be visible from the highway.
2. Must be completed a week before Christmas.
3. Both inside and outside decorations will be eligible.
4. Boundaries are from Landry's chicken ranch to Donner Monument.
5. Color, design and basic idea will be considered.

The judges will not be announced and the inspection of decorations will be made some time between next Wednesday and Friday.

Sadocchi Plans Sale Of Local Liquor Store

Intended sale of the Tourist Liquor Store on Main Street in Truckee was announced this week by Elmer P. Sadocchi, owner of the establishment.

The notice names Veraldo Muratori of Vallejo and John Magnetti of Fairfield as the buyers and the sale will become effective on January 2.

The business was purchased by Sadocchi and his mother, the late Julia Crease, and his brother, Vernon Sadocchi, several years ago and has an off-sale liquor license in addition to stock and fixtures.

Three Truckee People On Recent Grand Jury

Superior Judge James Snell said he plans to call a new grand jury for Nevada County "as soon as I can get to it, which probably will be sometime in January."

He indicated he likely would include in it some members of th 1949-51 grand jury, which was discharged last Thursday. This 19 member jury included Tillie Smith Cecil Edmunds and William M Englehart Sr., all of Truckee.

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Street Takes On Festive Look As Christmas Near

35-Foot Tree Focal Point, Others Line Business Block Here

Truckee's main street has taken on a festive air for the holiday season. The sidewalk from the telephone building to the California Cafe has been lined with uniform Christmas trees which currently are decorated quite naturally with real icicles. The big 35-foot community tree has been installed in the plaza and lights are being installed to give the thoroughfare a brilliant setting.

The decorations were the work of the Truckee Chamber of Commerce, under the presidency of Reg Smart, who asked that full credit be give his committees.

Trees Line Walk

The sidewalk trees were procured and installed by Paul Rausch, William Curran, Frank Forrest, and Smart while the big center tree was donated by Crandall Brothers and installed by the same committee plus Henry Toccalini, Cliff Ellis and Rex Reid. The lighting will be placed by P. H. Greenhouse of the Southern Pacific and the company will supply the electricity.

Festive Fronts

All local stores, with few exceptions, have decorated their windows and interiors and all in all the town presents a very attractive appearance.

Programs will be held around the base of the big tree on the plaza December 21.

THEATER PARTY FOR YOUNGSTERS ATTRACTS CROWD

Donner Theater was filled almost to capacity yesterday when Mr. and Mrs. Vern Shattuck, in cooperation with the Sacramento Bee and radio station KFBK, presented their free Christmas party for all the children of the district.

Santa Claus was on hand to entertain the group for 30 minutes before the start of the one hour and 45 minutes of movie shorts which made the afternoon a pleasant one for the 300 young guests. Gifts of candy were passed out and community singing, led by Santa, well represented by Rev. A. A. Carmitchel, added to the enjoyment of the occasion.

A number of pictures were taken both inside and outside the beautifully decorated theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Shattuck were repaid for their participation by the many expressions of joy by the children.

PEARL HELLER IS NAMED TO HEAD REBEKAH LODGE

At the meeting of Naomi Rebekah Lodge last night, Pearl Heller was elected noble grand for the ensuing year.

Other officers elected were Dorothy Kay, vice grand; Lucille Bick, secretary; Georgia Follett, treasurer. Appointive officers for the year are Alice Mayer, warden; Lenore Vind, conductor; Ruth Campbell, chaplain; Winifred Kamp, musician; Sylvia Beck, color bearer; Ruth Rockholm, right support to the noble grand; Beverly Wilson, left support to the noble grand; Elsie Olson, right support to vice grand; Elmay Philippi, left support to vice grand; Laura Harmon, inside guardian; Bess Reid, outside guardian.

Plans were completed for the Christmas party on December 26 with exchange of gifts. Refreshments were served by Winifred Kamp and Sylvia Beck.

T-T HIGH TRAVELS, DROPS FOUR GAMES IN WEEK JUST PAST

GARDNERVILLE— Douglas High School's Tigers got off to a torrid start in basketball here Friday night with a veteran team annihilating the visitors from Tahoe-Truckee High 84 to 27. It was close only in the first period, 10-9 for the Tigers, who then mounted to lead 31-18 at the half, 56-22 at the third and then pumped in 28 points in the final stanza.

The junior varsity scored favoring Douglas, was close only seven field goals to the hosts from the mountaineers. Final score, 45-31.

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GRASS VALLEY— The Grass Valley High School A and B basketball teams won two games from the Tahoe-Truckee High School in the Grass Valley school gymnasium Tuesday night. The A game ended 56-26 and the B contest score was 39 to 16.

C. Don Huff of Homewood and Woodland was a recent initiate in the Grandfathers Club at Sacramento.

NGERS RE-OPEN

E CITY— Bill and Shirley his week announced they Congers' Cafe at Tahoe City on Fri day, December 14, after being closed for several weeks.

There were 46 homicides in San Francisco in 1950.

VIGILANTE REWARD

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My Place in the Sun

by DOUG BARRETT

Ran into Frank A. Titus talking with Tony Polyanich at the California Cafe.....Frank had a wager agreement dated Dec. 10, 1916 in his hand.....between Dr. G. W. Bryant and Bill Fowler, then major domo of the Capital.....the medico bet the barkeep the latter couldn't walk from here to Reno in 12 hours.....with a month of Dec. 10.....$100 each was the bet..... Fowler trained for a week then took off down the railroad tracks for Verdi.....no open road.....and thence to Reno in just over 11 hours.....Dr. B. was out $125..... 'cause he paid out $25 for a man to walk along with Fowler.....Tony Polyanich remembers it well.....because then he was working for the winner....The Sacramento Bee's 75 years ago stuff turned up a story of a card game dispute in Truckee of that day.....one man hit another over the head with a poker.....the latter drew a gun, fired, missed.....No. 1 combatant was jailed for assault.....so much for such.....The Truckee Merc has a new and less precipitous ascent to its mezzanine office.....after a little Sunday overtime labor..... Bud's Fountain west window with a timely reminder of what Christmas is....displays a Nativity creche .....Willie and Dolores Curran and Henry Toccalini getting on the outside of some the Goodfellows Coffee Shop's pumpkin pie.....fresh from the oven.....Alice Rau somewhat protected from the wintery blast by a plywood partition between he desk and the front door at the Telephone Company office.....The Marines failed to land from Hawthorne Sunday.....so the Legion's basketball team had the court all to themselves.....That healthy appearing young new face at Tonini's Grocery belongs to M. W. "Call Me Wally" Wallace.....and the gracious new clerk at Cabona's is Mrs. Elwood Buehler....."Toggery Jim" Walker and son Ronnie cruising around town.....waiting for the rest of the family to get out of Sunday school.....Went to the Firemen's ladies' night party at Donner Lake Lodge Satd'y eve.....hear that 67 dinners were served.....Ruth and Doc Rockholm were on hand..... just back from Palm Springs..... and had as their guest Marlyn Joedeman from Jacumba.....Ruth told me an item now past the news stage.....but worthy of record..... Truckee's SP roadmaster, J. V Copeland was back in Chicago for a railroaders session last month..... Have given up the American ideal of a good five cent cigar.....what this country really needs is a five cent nickle.....and thanks for missing me last week, you lovely folks.

OUTDOOR CALIFORNIA
BY THE DIVISION OF FISH & GAME
CALIFORNIA'S BUSY BEAVERS
ARE BEING TRANSPLANTED -SOMETIMES BY PARACHUTE- TO MOUNTAIN AREAS WHERE THEIR INDUSTRY AND SKILL WILL BENEFIT THE STATE
THESE BEAVERS ARE LIVE-TRAPPED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME IN FARM AREAS WHERE THEY CAN DAMAGE CROPS AND LEVEES
BAILEY LIVETRAPS ARE HARMLESS
BEAVER DAMS IN THE MOUNTAINS SAVE WATER FOR FISH, WILDLIFE AND AGRICULTURE.

2ND DISTRICT G. O. P. MEETS AT AUBURN SUNDAY, DEC. 16TH

The Republican Committee for the 2nd Congressional District will hold a noon luncheon meeting at the Hotel Auburn in Auburn next Sunday, December 16. This was announced this week by Mrs. Goldie Brewer of Auburn, secretary of the organization.

Mrs. Brewer stated that the election of a new chairman and secretary will be on the agenda. The former chairman, Col. Mabbutt of Applegate, has moved to Idaho. Other matters pertaining to the 2nd district and the 1952 campaign will be discussed.

Doug Barrett of Truckee, Nevada County chairman, said he will present this county committee's recommendation that Stuart L. Chalmers of Grass Valley be a delegate to the National Convention from the congressional district, pledged to Governor Earl Warren. He urges that all interested Republicans, especially members and potential members of the county central committee, make the effort to attend this meeting.

Reservations should be made directly with the Hotel Auburn.

State Controller Thomas Kuchel will be the guest speaker.

The 2nd district contains 19 California counties, mainly along the eastern border, extending from the Oregon state line to the southern Inyo County line.

PENTHOUSE COFFEE SHOP

SACRAMENTO —(C. N. S.)— Opening of what ultimately is expected to become a pent house restaurant in the state capitol annex took place Tuesday when 200 seats were made available for serving coffee and doughnuts. The restaurant is under the auspices of the bureau of vocational rehabilitation.

SANTA WILL VISIT TAHOE CITY ON FRIDAY, DEC. 21ST

TAHOE CITY— Santa Claus will arrive with a sled filled with toys to be distributed to children at the annual Christmas Tree party to be held Friday, December 21st at 7 p.m. of the brilliantly lighted tree in the center of town.

Don Snyder is chairman of the event which is sponsored by merchants and several organizations of the area.

The moray eel is the greatest natural enemy of the octopus.

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Sign of a Nice Guy

Got so around these parts that everywhere a hunter went this fall, he came up against signs saying "PRIVATE PROPERTY, NO HUNTING, KEEP OFF." But not out at Happy Preston's place!

Happy's signs say "PRIVATE PROPERTY, GOOD HUNTING, BUT BE CAREFUL."

"Don't hunt myself," Happy says, "but there's plenty of game on my property. I tell the hunters where the best spots are—away from where I'm working and where nobody else is hunting. It works out pretty well all-around."

From where I sit, Happy has once again shown why he gets along with everyone and why everyone respects him. Happy's likes and dislikes might not be the same as his neighbors', but that doesn't stop him from *understanding*. When it comes to opinions on hunting, fishing, politics, ways of farming, or whether your favorite beverage is beer or cider, try to be like Happy and the chances are you'll be really happy!

Joe Marsh

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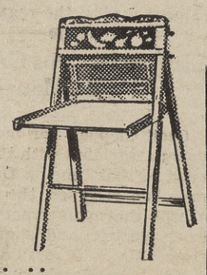

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SUMMIT SCENE

by FRAN COUILLARD

A full six weeks head start on the past several years' business is creating a pleasurable optimism among the operators. Marvelous reports of superb skiing snow inspired reporters and columnists to call us to check on the fantastic reports that were coming to them For instance, "no reservations to be taken for the balance of the season" and "no accommodations left for the holidays" and "is it true that operators are but taking reservations for week periods only?" We hastened to assure them that we were far from a "peak" business but had to acknowledge that we haven't seen such a crowd so early in the season for many a year. We hope we straightened out the accommodation and reservation business also, for with good skiing snow all over the skiing areas of northern California such reports are confounding and send our "regulars" to other snow fields. This is the time where we would like to add another verse to our annual winter dirge, "Why haven's we a central reservations bureau?" But with no particular pin to hold the area together we presume it is to be again "every man for himself."

Donner Ski Ranch's big opening on the first went off with a bang despite the freak sleet that drove into the ground like needles and made visibility around nil. A few timid ones, like ourselves, who use our legs for transportation during anything so phenomenal, couldn't find courage to lend support to our neighbor, but all in all a goodly representation of mountaineers found their way thru the storm to wish Jack and Pat Woodard a successful season. Seeing as how Jack and Pat's first opening day was a series of catastrophies, including seeing the wind take off the porch of their new house, watching the wind snatch the cable off the sheaves of their big lift, and seeing a couple of trees fall across the rope tow, we wonder how they could have greeted their guests so happily. But then one learns to take the bitter with the sacchrine when one lives in a spot where the temperament of the elements shows up in the profit and loss columns.

Soda Springs Hotel had a goodly crowd Sunday afternoon. We know that as the season progresses its walls will bulge to take care of even bigger crowds. Cocktail waitresses were pressed into service in the coffee shop, which made owner Doris Chaplin a cocktail waitress; office help was drafted into other chores which made owner Brant Chaplin an office boy. Bartender Jim Walker had little time to practice his charm as he really hit the ball, with Cy Roemer putting in an extra shift behind the plank to help out. Margot Nordstrom was drafted to help in the Zorich Ski Shop and down the road, over the tracks Wanda Misener and Helen Hogle deftly turned out hambungers without number to the melodious voice of Milton Hogle as it directed traffic on the ski hill over the loudspeaker.

Tentative whispers indicate a big show will be put on in honor of Dick Buek, who is busily packing his gear for the 1952 winter Olympics. In honor of, but not for Dick, if you gather what I mean. Seems gifts of money, presents, etc., might jeopardize his amateur standing and Dick won't go for any kind of a wing ding. However, he will stand for a party, proceeds of which will go toward the financing of the U. S. team as a whole, so the mountain folk stand ready to back the "Madman of Donner Summit' in anything he suggests. Understand that a number of the Olympic skiing team will be in the area shortly and when that time arrives an exhibition match of a downhill and slalom will be put on on the Soda Springs Hill, to be followed by a rally where American Olympic decals will be sold, to be followed by a big banquet and all for money raising purposes. Give you the dates as soon as we can. Carl Buek, of course, heads the committee to date.

Beacon Hill Lodge rubs its hands briskly in the warmth of a forthcoming dandy season with such groups as the Salisians, Stanard Oil Ski Club, Bank of America Ski Club, a bay area group from the Pacific Telephone Company, several Catholic groups and on the 14th and 15th a large group from Tamalpais High School. A terrific "enrollment" during Christmas week makes boss Elmo Moriano beam and to add to his joys, new chef Frank Laterza from San Francisco is turning out terrific menus, according to Beacon Hill frequentees.

Bud Horak of Donner Summit Lodge hires cute trick Maxine Wetzel to preside behind the guest desk. Tiny Maxine almost needs a box to peer, with her big eyes, over the edge of said desk but what she lacks in height, she makes up in personality.

The sudden burst of business put a bug in Bud's noggin too. Bud, ashamed of continually saying after 9 p.m., "Dining room is closed," to late arrivees opens up with the Breakfast Club idea. Starting Friday night, Dec. 14, the ham and egg lovers can enjoy a snack at Donner Summit Lodge from midnight until 2 a.m. Said Breakfast Club nights will thereafter be on Friday and Saturday nights, with strolling Switzers Eddie and Herman giving musical renditions to the sizzling smell of ham and eggs. Horak already gets enthused about next summer's business when he opens his recent mail and finds a confirmation from Francis Noel, head of audio visual education in the department of education, for the Donner Summit training sohool whith will be oomposed of around 100 teachers of northern California who will spend a couple of weeks in their training course. "The winter business will take care of it-

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NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ELMER P. SADOCCHI, whose address is Truckee, California, as surviving member of the partnership, Sadocchi and Crease, doing business as Tourist Liquor Store, as intended Vendor, intends to sell to VERALDO MURATORI, whose address is 42 Hawthorne Place, Vallejo, California, and JOHN MAGNETTI, whose address is 1132 Washington Street, Fairfield, California, as intended Vendees, that certain off-sale retail liquor business heretofore conducted under the trade name and style of "Tourist Liquor Store", at the Town of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California, together with the good will of said business and all furniture, fixtures and equipment of said business; excepting therefrom the outstanding accounts of said business.

That said sale will be made, and a bill of sale of said property executed and delivered on the 2nd day of January, 1952, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. on said day, at the law offices of Lynne Kelly, 127 Mill Street, Grass Valley, California, at which time and place the consideration will be paid by the said intended Vendees to the said intended Vendor, and the sale of said personal property fully consummated.

Dated: December 6, 1951.

ELMER P. SADOCCHI

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF NEVADA ss.

On this 6th day of December, in the year 1951, before me, R. N. Little, a Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California, personally appeared ELMER P. SADOCCHI, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, in the said County of Nevada, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

R. N. LITTLE, Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California. (Seal)

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CHATTEL MORTGAGE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 3440 of the CIVIL code of the State of California, that on the 24th day of December, 1951, the owner of the hereinafter described fixtures and equipment of that certain Beachcombers, restaurant, bar and bakery shop, situated and located at Kings Beach, County of Placer, State of California, intends to place a Chattel Mortgage upon the said fixtures and equipment.

MAX JOSEPH LIEPERTZ and VIRGINIA R. LIEPERTZ are the mortgagors of the said property; and their address is KINGS BEACH, COUNTY OF PLACER, STATE OF CALIFORNIA. The property, fixtures and equipment upon which the said Chattel Mortgage is to be placed consists of the following:

1 Gas Range (Wolf Jr 4 burner with grill); 1 French Fryer (Speedster); 1 Toaster (Toastmaster); 1 Toaster (Toastwell); 1 Gas Plate Grill (no name); 2 Bun toasters (Toastmaster); 1 Meat Slicer (Globe); 1 Malt Machine (Multimixer); 1 Fruit Juicer (Sunkist); 1 Mixer-Heavy duty (Hobart); 1 Refrigerator (Coldtemp); 1 Baker's Table (Hardwood top 4 bins); 1 Metal table (Hardwood top 2 bins); 1 Baker Oven (Master 18 pan revolving); 1 Waffle Iron (Wells); 1 Show case (Plate Glass); 1 Refrigerated Show Case (Recold 6 ft.); 1 Dough Mixer (Triumph); 1 Cash Register (National 1 Door 4390828; 1 Cash Register (National 1 Door) 408-3675; 8 Wicker Chairs (new); 1 Refrigerator (Recold 4 door); 1 Bake Oven (Wolf); 1 Hardwood Block 36x36; 1 Bar Sink (Monel Metal 12 ft; 1 Public Address and record player system; 1 sink dishwasher small galvanized iron; 1 sink dishwasher large galvanized iron; 3 awnings crank operated steel arms; 1 Building 10x19 wood frame; All bar and serving equipment, cutlery, china and glassware, linens and mixers, all miscellaneous tools and attachments to above listed bakery and kitchen equipment, mixing bowls, tables, hand tools of trade, and related items, now on premises.

The said mortgage is to be executed and the consideration therefore will be paid on the 24th day of December, 1951, at Bank of America N.T.&S.A., City of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California, at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

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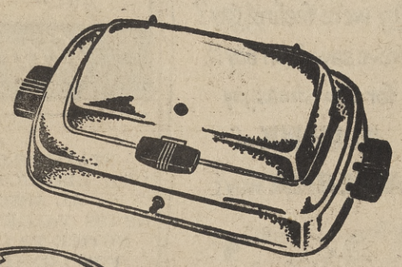

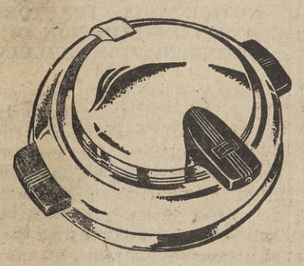

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TAHOE NEWS IN BRIEF

ADVANCED FIRST AID

Mrs. Marie Henry believes the 12 hour advanced first aid course she is offering will be opened shortly after the first of the year here. Anyone interested may contact her at Tahoe City 70.

LAKE TAHOE SKI CLUB

Meeting of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club last Friday night was poorly attended, due principally to the bitter cold of the night. President Bill Bechdolt presided at the short meeting, attended by about 30 persons. Next meeting will be on December 14 and then there will be no more meetings until Friday night, January 4, due to the holidays.

VISITS IN CAPITAL

Mrs. Jay Shontz left Tahoe today for Sacramento where she will visit Mrs. Herman Rauh. She is due at Woodland Clinic for a routine checkup Monday morning. Much improved in health, the checkup is just precautionary and routine.

GUESTS OF PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Imon Mitchell and son Dale of Sunnyside visited for several days last week in Sutter with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mitchell.

ON JURY PANEL

On a venire of 30 persons from which the new Placer County grand jury was to be selected December 11 were the following from the eastern extreme of the county: H. S. Watson, Tahoe City; Helen C. Stokes, King's Beach; Helen G. Hogle, Soda Springs; Leslye Cameron Roberts, Emigrant Gap. This group was due in the Auburn court room yesterday.

FEDERAL SPENDING

The recent session of Congress voted appropriations of $97,730,541,716. That's about $635 for every man, woman and child in the United States, or $2,540 for each family of four.

TAHOE LAKE SCHOOL PROGRAM ON 20TH FOR HOLIDAY PERIOD

TAHOE CITY— The Tahoe Lake School is going to have its annual Christmas program on Thursday, December 20, at 8 p.m., in the school's auditorium. All grades will be participating in the program which will consist largely of familiar carols. A chorus of some 30 students has been selected to sing the carols, while the rest of the students will dramatize appropriate selections.

Among those taking part are Joe Sheehan, who will sing a solo "Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer"; John Smith, Rex Donaldson and David Kelly will sing "We, Thre Kings".

Also on the program are Ronald Kurtz of Truckee and Russ Harried of Tahoe Vista. Kurtz will sing a solo, "Oh, Holy Night," and Harried will join him in a duet of "Silent Night."

The program is under the direction of Mrs. Robert Briggs, principal of the school. She states that they hope to have an additional number sung by four lower graders, "All I Want for Christmas is My Two Front Teeth," featuring Joy Ferris, Bruce Scott, Binth Rustad and Jimmy Doane.

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The school's Red Cross drive is over and a total fo $26.50 was collected from the three rooms. Mrs. Briggs' room won with $15.61. It was decided to give part of the money directly to the Junior Red Cross and to purchase a CARE package with part of the remainder. The rest will go toward Red Cross projects throughout the year.

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Grades 4, 5 and 6 held a dance last Saturday night from 7 to 9 o'clock. Although not many attended, the dance was fun for those who did. Chaperones included Mr. and Mrs. Mike Soltau, Mr. and Mrs. Al Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Briggs. General chairman of the dance was Sharon Gilman, sixth grader.

Cold Follows Storms to Preserve Snow Pack

TAHOE CITY— Four days of snow followed by sub-freezing temperatures featured the December 3 to 10 Tahoe weather week and, incidentally, left 28 inches of snow on the ground here Monday. A. E. Frodenberg reported 28 inches of snow fell, with 2.67 inches of precipitation, and the lake level on Monday was 6227.52 with three gates open.

High and low daily temperatures for the week were Dec. 3rd: 33, 21; 4th: 33, 26; 5th: 27, 20; 6th: 24, 7; 7th: 21, 5; 8th: 29, 9; 9th: 31, 4; 10th: low 9.

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AT LAKE FOREST

Mrs. Patricia Wetmore, sister of Cary Raymond, visited at the latter's Lake Forest home one day last week.

October 31, 1951
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
17TH DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION
GRASS VALLEY, CALIFORNIA
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the 17th District Agricultural Association, Grass Valley, California, on or before 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, January 2, 1952, for construction of one 54'x 20' wood frame administration building in accordance with the instructions contained herein and the following plans and specifications:

1. Administration Building for 17th District Agricultural Association, Grass Valley, California, dated August 24, 1951.

2. Plot Plan, Administration Building for 17th District Agricultural Association, Grass Valley, California, dated October 3, 1951.

3. Specifications including State of California, Department of Finance, Division of Fairs and Expositions Standard Specifications and Special Provisions to Specifications, dated October 31, 1951.

Proposals will cover all work shown, specified or indicated. Work and/or materials not specifically detailed shall be in conformity with the best practices of construction peculiar thereto.

Contractor to furnish a total price to include all materials, labor and sales tax for completion of building within ninety (90) working days after receipt of approved contract.

Contractor to pay prevailing wage rates for all workmen to be employed on this project. In accordance with the provisions of Section 1773 of the Labor Code, the State agency has ascertained the general prevailing rates of wages applicable to the work to be done as follows:

NEVADA COUNTY

Classification	Hourly Rate
Carpenters	$2.39
Cement finishers	2.42
Iron workers, reinforcing steel	2.45
Laborers, building	1.70
Electricians	2.75
Plumbers	2.75
Mixer, (concrete) operator (up to 1 c.y.)	2.13
Mixer, (concrete) operator (over 1 y.)	2.44
Roofer	2.50

Any classification omitted herein, not less than $1.70 per hour. Overtime, minimum of one and one-half times the foregoing rates. Sunday and holiday rates, double the above rates.

The contractor shall forfeit to the State a penalty of Ten Dollars ($10.00) for each calendar day, or portion thereof, for each workman paid by him or sub-contractor under him, less than prevailing wages so stipulated. This provision shall not apply to properly indentured apprentices.

Eight hours labor constitutes a legal day's work and the contractor shall forfeit as a penalty to the State ten dollars for each workman employed in the execution of the contract for each calendar day during which any workman is required or permitted to labor more than eight hours in violation of Labor Code Sections 1810-1817, inclusive.

The contractor or subcontractor shall forfeit as a penalty to the State ten dollars for each alien knowingly employed in the execution of this contract for each calendar day or portion thereof during which any alien is permitted or required to labor in violation of Labor Code Sections 1850-1854, inclusive.

Contractor shall furnish and file with the Secretary-Manager of the Association a labor and material bond and a performance bond each in the amount of fifty (50) percent of the contract amount prior to commencement of work.

The 17th District Agricultural Association reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality in any bid received.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30) days after the time set for opening thereof.

Plans can be seen at 115 West Main Street, Grass Valley, California.

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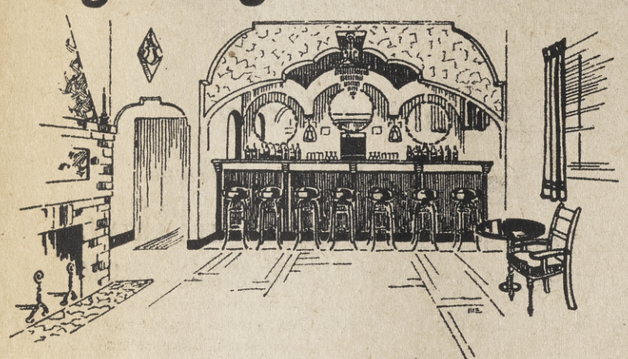

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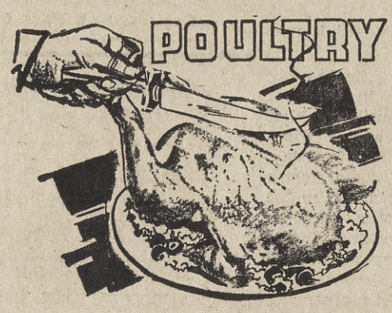

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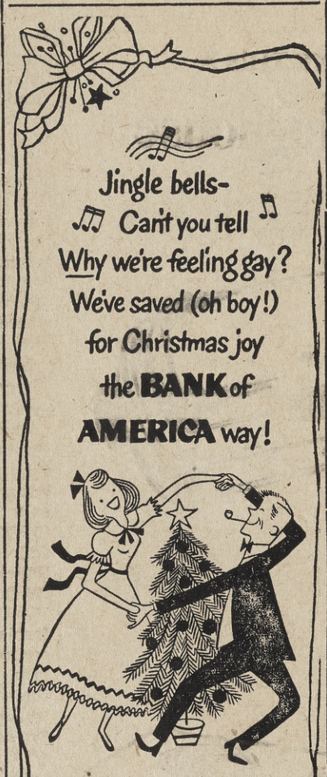

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Tahoe Letter

Tahoe City, Dec. 9

Dear Tahoeites,

This is one of those weeks when news is at a premium. The weather has been beautiful the past few days, although the mercury dropped to 4 above last night, our coldest to date this season. Highways are in good condition but there's little traffic at night.

Tahoe Ctiy Garage has been busy today pulling cars out of the snow on the new road that leads into Granlibakken from the Scates stables. Seems folks think they can drive up to the resort but find after a few moments of effort that they can't make it. Granlibakken sends down a weasel to bring folks up the canyon and they are supposed to park their cars near the highway. Skiing is good in this area and a goodly crowd has been trying out Tahoe's slopes over the weekend. Heard Squaw Valley was booked solid yesterday for the weekend.

Mrs. Marie Henry of Tahoe City wishes to announce that all local residents who may have been left off the mailing list or who wish to buy more may purchase sheets of the 1951 T. B. Christmas Seals from her. The cause is an extra specail worthy one.

Wedding anniversarsies were observed here by the following local residents: the A. M. Andersons on December 10, Al and Jean Henry on November 29 and birthdays by Anne Anderson on December 9, Janet Watson on December 12, Mrs. Carl Bechdolt Sr. on November 23 and Jack Starratt's was last week. To all we say congratulations and many happy returns.

Back from vacations are the Ken Steddoms and the Howard Guths.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Mattheus and children shook the Tahoe snow from their boots (and booties) and departed today (Sunday) from their lakeshore home at Carnelian Bay, moving for the winter to Carson City, where Mattheus' business is located. They'll be back at the lake again, come summer.

A few belated Thanksgiving notes we missed last week include the family dinner party at the A. M. Henrys' in Tahoe City, attended by her mother, Mrs. Mary Planett, and brother, Fred Planett, of Verdi, Verne Daniels and Gary Henry. Mr. and Mrs. Al Henry Jr. and daughter Karen were guests of the Joe Pomins of Tahoe Pines that day. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bechdolt Sr. entertained houseguest Mrs. Bertha Delgado of Los Angeles over the Thanksgiving weekend and Charles Swanson dined with them Thanksgiving day. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Anderson had as Thanksgiving day dinner guests Jack Starratt, his wife Betty and daughter Anne and Harry Johanson.

Understand from those attending the Saturday night shindig staged by the Lake Tahoe Lions Club at Cal-Vada for their ladies that a wonderful time was enjoyed, with good music and some exhibition square dancing by the Tahoe Twirlers. More than $80 was realized on the gingerbread house created and donated by Max Liepertz of The Beachcombers and Cal-Vada, the money to go toward Christmas cheer for needy Tahoe residents. Dave Ashton was the genial and successful auctioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson of Lakeside Cottages, King's Beach, left Monday for their home in Coleville after having resided in this area for the past 2½ months. They had been residents here three years ago but Wilson, a brother of Ivan Wilson of Lake Forest, left for Alton, Illinois, but returned here eventually. Wilson was a business visitor in Bishop last week.

Have a grand letter from my old friend, Mrs. Leta Hull, formerly in charge of the Tahoe City telephone office during the winters, who writes from Sebastopol. She recently sold her successful Mode O'Day shop in Petaluma and on December 10 was to open a brand new store in Sebastopol, where she and her amily formerly owned a chicken ranch. The family lives in this lovely little town, which is thriving and spreading in all directions, and they are glad to be back among their old friends. Here is wishing her a world of good luck. The Huls enjoyed a wonderful motor trip which took them over 5500 miles over a three weeks time, with good highways and good weather all the way. She and Harvey accompanied her brother and sister-in-law from Stockton to Brownsville, Texas, to the home of a sister of hers, where they were joined by another sister from Washington, D. C., and still another sister from Wellington, Kansas. It was one grand and glorious family reunion. From there they went to Mexico, then to Kansas for a ten day visit with relatives and home via Denver and Salt Lake. They send their best to their many old friends in the Truckee-Tahoe area.

Have my first Christmas card from the C. O. Valentines of Costa Mesa, who enclose a long letter within. They will celebrate Mrs. V.'s and niece's birthdates this year at Ensenada and later motor to Palo Alto, after which they hope to get to Tahoe for a visit in the snow country and to visit old friends here.

When the Al Henrys Jr. left Tahoe some days ago to celebrate their 10th wedding anniversary they little dreamed of the excitement the trip would bring. Driving the Senior Henrys' new Lincoln sedan, they arrived safely and were guests of the Dave Donaldsons' of San Leandro. They also visited the Ray Prussos and family of San Lorenzo and the Bernie Albers, who summer here. All went well until the afternoon they left to motor to San Francisco to see the ice skating show. It happened to be the day of the Big Wind, when the Golden Gate Bridge was swayed in a 105 miles per hour gale, the worst in its history, which later closed the span for hours. Somewhere along the bridge, the car was hit by one of the violent gusts and, although they were traveling only 15 miles an hour, all of a sudden the car seemed to be lifted up, set down hard and then the engine hood flew off, breaking the hinges, the hood arm striking the center of the car's top, denting it in 6 to 8 inches. Al hied himself to the insurance company and received assurance that a clause in the policy, taking in so-called acts of God, covered the damage, which will run around $450. The Junior Henrys returned home via public carrier from their vacation last Thursday night but the car is still in the repair shop.

Best wishes to all for the week.

As ever, Swanee.

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Witness my hand this 3rd day of December, 1951.

PAUL HOROMANSKI

State of California
County of Nevada ss.

On this 3rd day of December 1951, before me R. N. Little, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, residing there in, duly commissioned and sworn personally appeared Paul Horo manski, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknow ledged that he executed the same In witness thereof I have hereunto set my hand hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

R. N. LITTLE, Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California. My Commissio expires December 12, 1953. (Seal)

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sea ed bids will be received by the Governing Board of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District, Placer and Nevada Counties, California, at the Office of the Super intendent, Truckee, California, on or before, and no later than Friday, the 14th day of December at 5 p.m. for the contract to furnish diesel fuel oil to the Tahoe-Truckee High School in accordance with specifi cations on file in the office of the Superintendent of Schools.

The Governing Board reserves the right to reject any and all bid-, in part or in total, to waive any irregularities, and to be the sole judge of the suitability of the pro duct offered.

Bidders are required to submit complete specifications with prices for any and all products offered.

By order of the Governing Board of the Tahoe-Truckee Unified School District.

W. A. LOYND, President

Dated: November 28, 1951. td13

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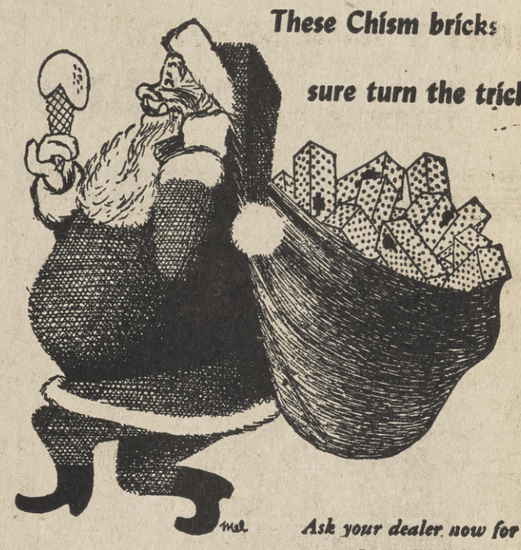

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And he said, still talking to himself, when I do that I'm going to size up the field—give 'em all a real going over.

You see him here at the wheel of a Buick. He hasn't bought it—yet. It's a demonstrator, and he's trying it out.

But the more he tries it, the more he knows he's been wasting a lot of time.

From the moment he looked inside, he said: Here's the room—and the comfort—and the style I've been looking for.

Then he nudged its Fireball Engine into action. It's a high-compression valve-in-head, as you probably know.

He eased out into traffic. Stopped and started for a couple of traffic lights, and said something to the effect that this Dynaflow Drive* is a honey. Why don't they all build 'em this way?

He saw a bump ahead. Place where the pavement had been torn up. Other cars were braking down to a creep to cross it. He held back—rolled right across at regular speed with barely a bobble.

It's hard to believe, he said, but what they say about Buick's ride is right.

Ten minutes later he was out on an open stretch of road. Tried an experimental push on the gas treadle. Boy—what a take-off! You couldn't want more power than that.

Ten minutes more—and he knew something else. You don't really steer a Buick. It just about steers itself. Stays right on the beam on the straightaway. Even straightens itself out after a curve.

To make a long story short—he's found out that nothing else he's tried out can hold a candle—not even a little Christmas candle—to this bonnie beauty.

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SUMMIT SCENE

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self (almost)," says Bud, "what I'm after is bigger and better convention groups for the summer."

We recently had to shovel a honeymooning couple out of our front yard. None other than "Little Jack" Walsh (all six foot five) the charming former Dolores Vicencio, sister of Cisco Tom Vicencio. This "on and off" romance has culminated in a Reno marriage betwixt the two. A few days ago, after fitting her finger with a lovely solitaire, Jack whisked his bride away to Reno where she became Mrs. Jack Walsh Jr., so the Auburn Ski Club has a mistress this year. Good luck to 'em.

We cannot finish without mentioning charming Miss Ingrid Nordstrom's recent fourth birthdate party. The younger set, curled and shining from top to toe, were guests of blonde Ingrid, who received all of the nice presents that a four year old could desire.

Hydraulic Mining

Hydraulic mining is believed to have originated in Nevada County.

WINTER SPORT GUIDE IS DISTRIBUTED BY CHAMBER GROUP

The 1951-1952 California Winter Sports Guide, complete with all the information the winter sports fan, present or prospective, would like to know, has been released by the winter sports committee of the California State Chamber of Commerce.

The guide, free to the public, covers the entire state with detailed information as to resorts, their accommodations and rates, number and size of ski tows and chair lifts ski schools and instructors.

One section, "Tips for Your Trips", gives advice as to wearing apparel and equipment needed, this year's styles, winter driving and other vital information.

Preconditioning exercises designed to put skiing muscles in good shape before reaching the snow, if followed will save precious skiing time. For those who like to study skiing techniques and how the turns are made, illustrations and instructions of the basic fundamentals are presented.

Several columns and two out of seven illustrative maps are devoted to the Donner Summit and Tahoe District ski areas. One of the remaining five maps is a general one and includes the local ski centers in relation to the rest of the state.

The guide may obtained through the California State Automobile Association, Automobile Club of Southern California, National Automobile Club, Standard Stations Inc., and Southern Pacific Co., as well as many California apparel and sporting goods stores.

S. P. WILL DISPATCH BLOOD DONOR CAR THRU WESTERN U. S.

A specially equipped Southern Pacific blood donor car, named "The Life Line," will soon begin a tour of the western and southwestern states to obtain blood for both armed forces and civilian transfusions.

The car's blood procurement program will be supervised and conducted by the Irwin Memorial Blood Bank of San Francisco in coordination with the American Red Cross and private, independent medically sponsored blood banks in communities throughout the Southern Pacific territory.

A. T. Mercier, president of the railroad, dedicated the car at an impressive ceremony during which two Army veterans of Korean fighting, Master Sgt. William C. Parsons of Dallas and Sgt. Emil Maunder of Los Angeles, told how blood from civilian donors had saved their lives.

"The Life Line" will collect blood not only from railroad personnel but also from other donors. Individuals may specify whether their blood is to be given the armed forces, "banked" for their future use, or given as replacement for blood already used in civilian transfusions.

Equipped with nine beds and every modern facility for blood procurement, the car will begin its extensive tour this month in Sacramento. From there it will move to other parts of California, also through Nevada, Utah, Oregon, Arizona, New Mexico and into Texas.

FISH, GAME SEASONS FOR '52 TO BE SET AT JANUARY MEETS

The annual chore of setting California's hunting and angling regulations faces the five man fish and game commission when it meets in two regulatory powers sessions in January.

Recommendations for 1952 seasons and bag limits from sportsmen, civic groups and personnel of the department of fish and game will be heard January 4 in the State Building at San Francisco. Final action under the regulatory powers delegated by the legislature will be taken at a meeting in the State Building at Los Angeles January 25.

The commission has regulatory powers over the sport angling fisheries only. Commercial fishing laws are determined by the legislature.

DEC. 15 FORECAST AS DANGEROUS DAY FOR HEEL-AND-TOERS

Mark the date, December 15, 1951, on your calendar.

It is sure to be a fateful day, the California State Automobile Association declares. On that date, between the hours of four and six in the afternoon, the life of the average pedestrian will be in greater danger than at any other time during the past year, the motorists' organization says.

The CSAA states than accident statistics indicate there will be more likelihood of a pedestrian being killed at that specific time than at any other. The prediction is based on the following:

(1) More persons are killed throughout the year between the hours of 4 and 6 p.m.

(2) Saturday (December 15 falls on Saturday this year) is the year's most dangerous day.

(3) December is considered the worst month for pedestrian accidents, due in part to longer hours of darkness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Myers Return from East

HOMEWOOD— Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Myers of The Hut at Homewood returned recently from a trip to the eastern states. Coming back with them was Mrs. Myers' mother, Mrs. Eva Anglin of Bourbon, Ind., who will make her future home in the west.

Since their return, the Myers have opened the Hut Package Liquor Store which currently operating on an off-sale basis while The Hut is close for the season.

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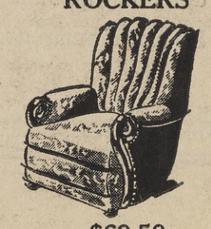
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NORTH TAHOE

by THELMA BURROUGHS

Our little globetrotter, Mrs. Anna Blaue (better known by many as Miss Anne) has taken off again. Last Thursday she shoveled her way out from her little cottage, was picked up by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chanda who took her to Truckee from where, after bidding the Barretts farewell and having her Sierra Sun transferred to Ventura, she took a bus for southern California as her first stop.

Pat Frawley, owner of Paper-Mate Pen Corp. of Los Angeles, flew up to Reno where he was picked up by his friends, the Clarence Schraders of Tahoe Vista for a short two-day visit over last weekend. Guest at Rotary ladies on Monday at Cal-Vada. He is completely sold on Lake Tahoe and didn't want to go home.

The Cub Scouts of Den One under direction of Mrs. Clarence Schrader are busily engaged in making Christmas presents. Incidentally, there are now three other Cub dens at North Tahoe. Den Two is supervised by Mrs. Johnson of Kings Beach, Den Three by Mrs. Larry Rudd of Kings Beach and Den Four by Mrs. Ruth McPherson of Kings Beach. All these youngsters are trying their talents at Christmas gift making.

Down across the highway, on the pond, bonfires are burning night after night now as skaters, both skilled and otherwise, flash over the ice. To date we haven't facilities for night movies to record that action and sound. It is a gay group having a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fremeir of Tahoe Vista and wintering down around Los Gatos are up with friends and acquaintances for a few days, enjoying the snow, taking inventory at their Sportsman's Port and selecting a Christmas tree to take back to the kiddies who had to stay home and go to school.

"The Wizard of Oz" is the title of that free show being given for everybody in the North Tahoe community. It will precede the Christmas program at the Brockway Theatre and begins at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday, December 18. The color movie is being contributed by the North Tahoe Council of Organizations and Tom Lucas is donating the use of the show house. Santa will be there and local talent performers will present a variety program. Mr. Claus will present treats for all so be sure to come out and have fun with your neighbors next Tuesday night.

If you hear Christmas carols on these cold, moonlit nights, it's probably the Cub Scouts again. Let them know you are listening.

Friends of Ada Akers of Kings Beach will be glad to know she is recovering satisfactorily from injuries suffered in a recent auto accident. She's a wonder the way she takes care of those two youngsters, handicapped with a heavy leg cast.

Mrs. Edith Ford, mother of Mrs Clarence Schrader, is up from Glendale for the holidays, remaining until next year (which is not too far off).

Miss Jacquie Abbott of Kings Beach celebrated her 12th birthdate on December 12 with a party for a group of her young friends.

STAMP OUT TB

BUY AND USE CHRISTMAS SEALS . . .

CHRISTMAS TREE CARE HINTS GIVEN BY EXPERT

With the annual translocation of part of the nation's forests to the American living room, it may be worth while to know how to care for these forest infants.

The best and most convenient way to keep evergreens fresh, green and fire resistant is to select a freshly cut tree and then keep it it water, according to Don M. Drummond, extension service forester at Carson City.

Before buying, shake the tree. If the needes fall the tree is already too dry and will soon become a nuisance in the home. As soon as the tree is brought home, throw water all over it. Cut at least a inch off the butt end, slantwise preferred, to open the pores for drawing u water. Set the tree in water and keep it in a cool shady place until bringing it in for trimming.

A crossrack may be fitted over a pail or other container covered with metallic foil. Stones or bricks placed in the pail will support the tree in the water.

Water should be added every day as a 5 or 6 foot tree will absorb as as much as a cup of water daily. Each needle gives off moisture in the warm, dry air of the house and the tree must replace the moisture to keep fresh. The more moisture given off, the more fragrance.

For safety, the USDA advises against setting the tree near a radiator, fireplace, stove, candles, hot light bulb and out of entranceways or line of Christmas traffic in your home.

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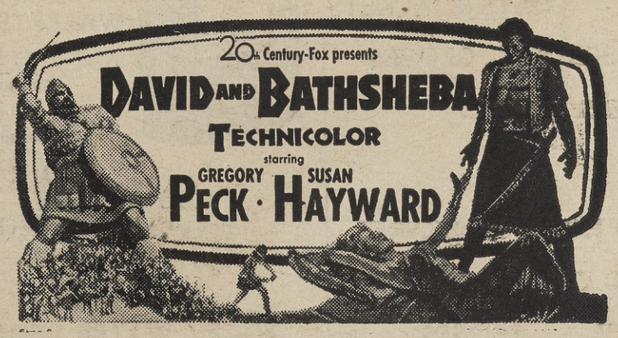

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South Yuba Pollution Hearing Continued

AUBURN— Placer and Nevada County officials have agreed to continue discussions on methods of ending pollution of the South Yuba River at a meeting on February 2 in Nevada City.

The Nevada County delegation left a meeting held here December 5 because of a prior commitment in Nevada City for that afternoon.

The group heard Joseph Gorlinski, executive secretary of the Central Valley Regional Pollution Control Board, describe conditions on the South Yuba as progressively getting worse as more cabins and ski lodges are built.

Football Fans—

Mr. and Mrs. James Leamon and Mrs. Omar Alexander of Truckee and Mr. and Mrs. George F. Kamp of Kings Beach attended a football game between the 49ers and the Green Bay Packers in San Francisco last weekend.

Anniversary Across Sea—

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Rablin observed their first wedding anniversary many miles apart on December 10, Rablin being with the armed forces in Korea.

Birthdates this Week—

Local people celebrating birthdates this past week are Omar Alexander, Dec. 8; Erving Waters, December 9; Mrs. August Sassarini, Dec. 10, and Mrs. William Englehart Sr.

FINAL MEETING

The final meeting of creditors in the bankruptcy proceedings of the Highlands Sugar Pine Company will be held at San Jose tomorrow announcements from Referee Bernard J. Abrott said.

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Reg Smart, president of the chamber of commerce, said he has received a new 9x12 woolen American Flag for the pole on the plaza on main street and is now anxious that some responsible group take charge of keeping it flying and to protect it.

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FOR HIM
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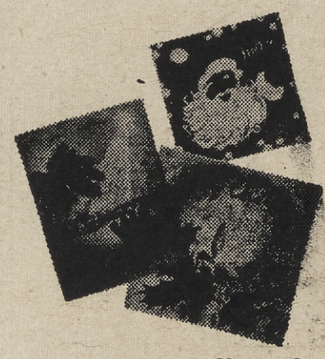

Hallmark Christmas Cards

LIQUORS AND WINE

Loynd's
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SERVICE CLUBS HOLD DINNER MEET IN SCHOOL

The Truckee Lions Club was host to the local Rotary Club last night at a dinner meeting in the new high school cafeteria. The meal was prepared under the direction of Mrs. Emily Bergmans, high school chef, assisted by Mrs. Stan Zwarg. Members of the student body served.

The Truckee elementary school chorus, under the direction of Miss Alice Hanoum, and the high school glee club, directed by Ernest Douglas, performed. Speakers included Walt Loynd, chairman of the district school board; Richard Davis, principal of the Truckee elementary school; Cliff King, principal of the high school, and Superintendent E. V. O'Rourke.

Other guests of the Lions were Fred Pedley, Soda Springs; Harry Charrison, president of the Lake Tahoe Lions; Bob Leamon and Stan Songer of Truckee. O'Rourke was program chairman and R. C. Gifford presided.

HOSPITAL PLANS RECIEVE SETBACK IN PROCUREMENT

Hopes of the directors of the Tahoe Forest Hospital District to have the new hospital ready for occupancy this month failed when it was revealed that delays have resulted from the inability to procure immediately the desired type of humidifiers.

At a meeting of the directors on Friday, Contractor John Shreck and J. R. Liske, representing George Sellon, the architect, discussed the problem and advised the board they would make every effort, without the use of inferior installations, to rush the job to completion.

This one item, C. R. Heller, president of the board explained, is holding up the completion of the project which had been promised for December 15 or thereabouts. Members of the board are disturbed over the delay and so informed the contractor and architect, and are exerting every means to hasten the job to conclusion.

The formal opening date will be announced in the near future, Heller said.

Reservist Reports—

Earl Smith, who is in the U. S. Naval Reserve, is expected to report in San Francisco for a physical examination this week.

A flask of mercury weighs approximately 76 pounds.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who contributed to the success of the food and apron sale held on Wednesday.

Father Patrick O'Neill
and the Altar Society

CARD OF THANKS

The members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service takes this means of expressing thanks to all who gave or assisted in any way toward making the recent bazaar and food sale such a success. Special thanks are due Duane Freeman who donated the use of his Do-Nut Shop.

Hi, Kids!
MEET ME
In Truckee
Dec. 21

Santa Claus

Steam Heated Rooms
AT
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"IT SHINES FOR ALL"
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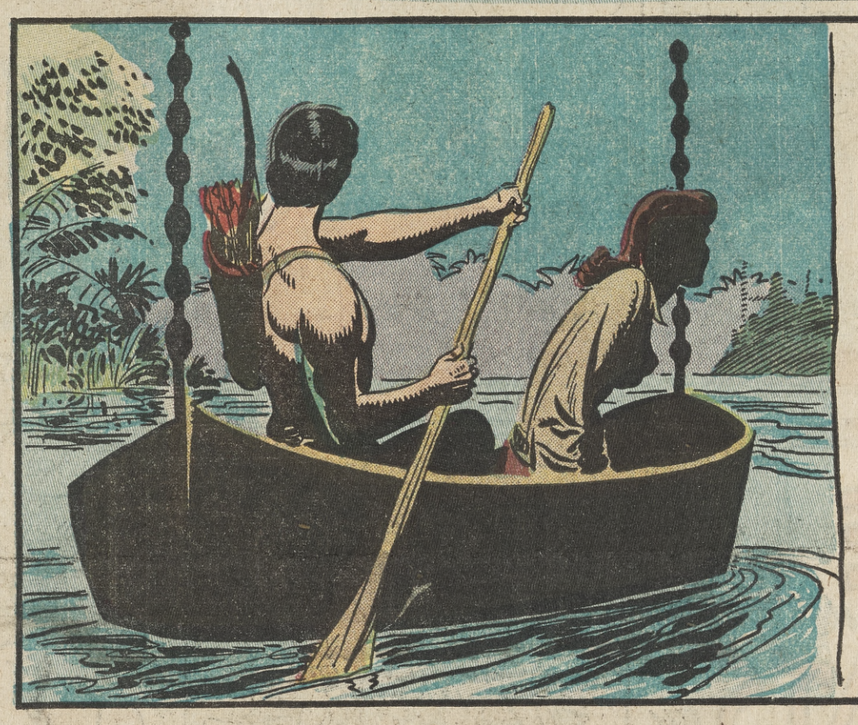
COMIC SECTION

Tarzan®

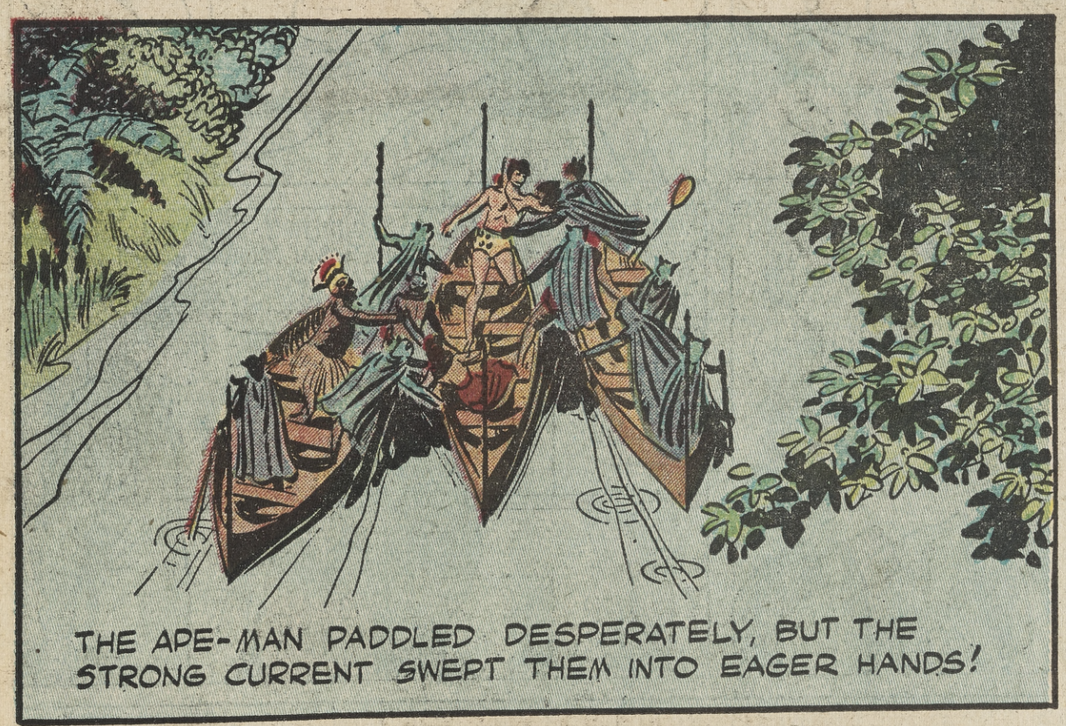
by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

WHEN TARZAN FINALLY REMEMBERED THE WHITE WOMAN PRISONER, HE SPED BACK TO THE TEMPLE TO FREE HER BEFORE THE SURVIVING PANTHER MEN RETURNED.

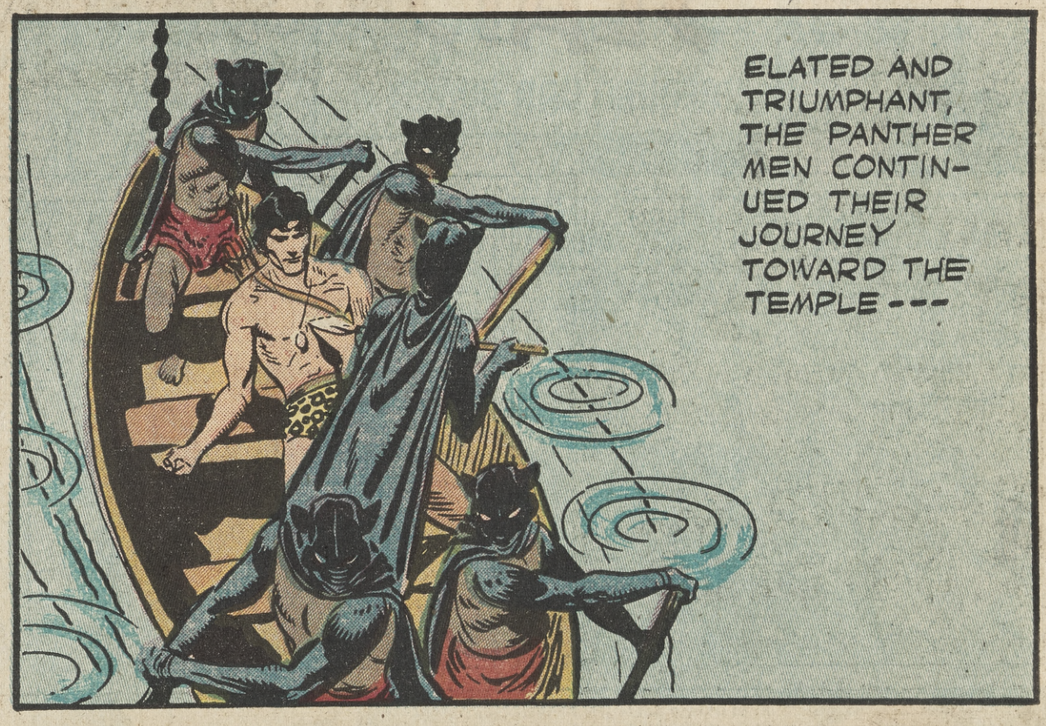
AFTER ESCAPING TO THE RIVER, THEY FOUND A BEACHED CANOE --- AN OPPORTUNE DISCOVERY!



AS THEY GLIDED DOWN THE INK-BLACK STREAM THE GIRL SOBBED. "HOW CAN I EVER THANK YOU--I-I'M LYNN GARNER--I WAS LOOKING FOR--". BUT TARZAN QUICKLY SILENCED HER, AND FOR GOOD REASON! SEVERAL DARK OBJECTS LOOMED AHEAD -- THE PANTHER MEN WERE RETURNING FROM BATTLE!



THE APE-MAN PADDLED DESPERATELY, BUT THE STRONG CURRENT SWEPT THEM INTO EAGER HANDS!



ELATED AND TRIUMPHANT, THE PANTHER MEN CONTINUED THEIR JOURNEY TOWARD THE TEMPLE---

Bob Lubbers and Dick Van Buren

--BUT THE CANOE BEARING LYNN DRIFTED AWAY FROM THE OTHERS, UNNOTICED. WOFU, TREACHEROUS CHIEFTAIN OF A DISTANT TRIBE, HAD OTHER PLANS FOR THIS DELICATE WHITE WOMAN!

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THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS

BY R. DIRKS

HEY- VHY DER MAROONING, INSPECTOR?

HOME-VORK LESSONS! VOT A MESS

SO YOU CAN BEHAFE TILL SANTA CLAUS COMES

AW, FOR DER LUFF OF PETE, MAMA, IT AIN'T CHRISTMAS YET!

VHILE DER BOYS ISS OUDT YOU GOT TO PRACTICE DER CHIMBLY DOWNING! DOT'S VHY!

POOR SANDY CLAUS

A PUMPKIN- VOT FOR?

I GOT A IDEA, CAP! DISS CURES MAMA OF DOT CHIMBLY STUFF

DISS ISS MAMA VAITING BY DER FIREPLACE CAP--TAIN. COME ON DO YOUR STUFF

REMEMBER, DISS ISS ONLY PRACTICE BITZNESS. YOU TINK IT VILL VORK?

IT CAN'T FOOZLE, CAP! CHUST DO AS I SAY! I GO CHECK UP MIT MAMA

VELL, VELL, HERE COMES SANDY CLAUS NOW!

HEFFENS! ONLY DER BOOTS CAME DOWN! ISS YOU STUCKED, CAPTAIN?

TIGHT AS A DRUM, MAMA, BUT DON'T VORRY I'LL COME DOWN IN PIECES!

UND DERE ISS DER SUIT! NO, NO, YOU CAN'T DO DOT!

OH, YES, I CAN! VATCH OUDT FOR DER REST OF ME

IN INSTALMENTS HE COMES! VELL, SUCH ISS LIFE IN DER CHIMBLY, MAMA

LIKE I SAID, MAMA, IT CAN'T BE DOOD! NOW ISS YOU SATIS--FIED?

HAW-HAW

BUT, MAMA-

O.K., FUNNY BOY, DOWN YOU GO!

YOU UND YOUR BIG IDEAS!

I LOINED DER LUNKER, I BETCHA

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ABBIE an' SLATS by RAEBURN VAN BUREN

THEY JUST FOUND THAT GORGEOUS HUNK OF MAN—THE ONE WHO WAS IN THE BACKGROUND OF THAT PUBLICITY PHOTOGRAPH OF MORONICA DEVERE-AND, GIRLS—IS HE **SOMETHING!!**

HE WAS WORKING **HERE** ALL THE TIME!!

LOOKIT THEM **ANGLES**—A PURE **LATIN** TYPE! WE'LL CHANGE HIS NAME TO **CARLO CASTINETS**—IN HIS FIRST PICTURE HE DOES A SPECTACULAR **TANGO**—

BUT I CAN'T (CHOKE) DANCE A **LICK**

O.K.—I GOT IT—YOU'RE PETER PICCADILLY—A SQUARE FROM LONDON—SUAVE, SOPHISTICATED, EDUCATED AT ALL THE BEST SCHOOLS—

I NEVER GOT PAST **FIRST GRADE**, SIR—

AN ILLITERATE JERK, HUH—O.K., O.K.—SO YOU'RE **MUSTANG MAX**, KING OF THE COWBOYS—

I—(CHOKE) NEVER BEEN ON A HORSE IN MY **LIFE**—

IF YOU'LL EXCUSE ME, MR. MEGALO—WHY NOT JUST (SIGH) LEAVE HIM JUST THE WAY HE **IS**—

YOU **NUTS?** THAT WAY HE'S GOT **MINUS** GLAMOUR—BOX OFFICE **POISON!**

A STAR'S GOTTA HAVE SOMETHING DIFFERENT, SOMETHING T'MAKE A **PERFECTLY NORMAL** DAME **TRAMPLE** ANOTHER **PERFECTLY NORMAL DAME TO DEATH BUYING A TICKET TO SEE HIM**—

IT'S **HIM!!**

ALL I (QUIVER) WANT TO DO IS **TOUCH HIM!!**

WELL, WHAT **NOW** MASTERMIND?

LIKE YOU SAID—HE STAYS (OUCH!) **EXACTLY LIKE HE (GROAN) IS!!**

TO BE CONTINUED—

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By ERNIE BUSHMILLER

PACKAGE FOR YOU, MISS RITZ

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IT'S FROM PHIL

OF ALL THE NERVE--PHIL SENT ME A BIG PHOTO OF **HIMSELF** FOR MY BIRTHDAY!

LET'S SEE--I GUESS I'LL HAVE TO HANG IT SOMEWHERE--

HM-M--I WONDER WHAT'S THE BEST PLACE

LATER

HELLO, FRITZI--DID YOU GET MY PRESENT?

YES, I DID

WHERE IS IT? DIDN'T YOU HANG IT?

YOU PASSED IT IN THE HALL--

THAT'S FUNNY--I DON'T SEE IT

YOU DIDN'T LOOK IN THE RIGHT PLACE

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By ERNIE BUSHMILLER

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HELLO

HELLO, NANCY

CAUGHT ANYTHING YET, SLUGGO?

NOPE

I STILL HAVEN'T GOT A NIBBLE

LET **ME** TRY IT A WHILE

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HA-HA-HA--YOU'RE NO FISHERMAN

OH, I MIGHT DO BETTER THAN **YOU**

HAW---I'LL GIVE YOU A DOLLAR IF YOU CATCH A FISH

?

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STRANGE as it seems ®

ELSIE HIX

HOARDING BY PERMISSION!

HOUSEWIVES OF SWITZERLAND ARE ADVISED OFFICIALLY BY THE GOVERNMENT TO STOCK A TWO MONTHS' SUPPLY OF STAPLE GROCERIES!

LUDWIG I, *King of Bavaria*, SLEPT ON A MATTRESS STUFFED WITH MUSTACHES AND BEARDS WHICH HAD BEEN CUT OFF BY MEN OF HIS FATHER'S REGIMENT!

THERE ARE 48 DIFFERENT TRIANGLES IN THIS FIGURE-- *CAN YOU FIND THEM?*

SHAKESPEARE ON RADIO--

"THEN MY DIAL GOES NOT TRUE"-- *All's Well That Ends Well.*
"TAKE UP SOME OTHER STATION"-- *Coriolanus.*
"HIS LECTURE WILL BE DONE ERE YOU ARE TUNED"-- *Taming of The Shrew.*
"AND THOSE MUSICIANS THAT SHALL PLAY TO YOU STAND IN THE AIR A THOUSAND LEAGUES FROM HENCE"-- *Henry IV.*
"IT IS NO MATTER HOW IT BE IN TUNE SO IT MAKES NOISE ENOUGH"-- *As You Like It.*
"AH, STAND BY"-- *Antony and Cleopatra.*

THE MIRTH BROTHERS-- AL, DON, BILL, RUDY AND FRANK PLAY ON THE CHAMPIONSHIP BETHLEHEM BASKETBALL TEAM ... *- Lutheran League, St. Louis, Mo. -*

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SPORT FLASH!

WINNERS OF ANCIENT TUSCANY CHARIOT RACES WERE ANNOUNCED IN ROME BY CARRIER PIGEONS BEARING THE CHARIOTEER'S COLORS!

HARRY PAGE-- 69-YEAR-OLD JOCKEY-- WEARING A MONOCLE, WON THE WESTCHESTER BILTMORE COUNTRY CLUB PLATE-- 2½-MILE RACE, RIDING A 16-YEAR-OLD HORSE, WHICH HE OWNED AND TRAINED... *-Belmont Park, 1922-*

THE AARDWOLF-- A MEMBER OF THE HYENA FAMILY--HAS SUCH WEAK JAWS IT LIVES ON TERMITES AND OTHER INSECTS!

JOE INKS ®

by HENRY FORMHALS

WHEN A PERSON REACHES TH' AGE WHEN HE NO LONGER BELIEVES IN SANTA CLAUS. HE SHOULD STOP GETTING CHRISTMAS GIFTS! HOW MUCH SIMPLER IT WOULD BE THAT WAY!

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS
FOR Her...
FOR Him...
FOR Dad...
FOR Mom...

I'M RACKIN' MY BRAINS T' DECIDE WHAT GIFTS T' GIVE TO A LOT OF FOLKS WHO ARE RACKIN' THEIR BRAINS T' DECIDE WHAT T' GIVE ME! PHOOEY! BUT EV'RY YEAR WE DO TH' SAME THING — JUST LIKE A BUNCH OF SHEEP!

I'M LIKE A CARTOONIST UP A CREEK WITHOUT A GAG!---- GOSH, I WISH I KNEW WHAT T' GET BLANCHE FOR CHRISTMAS!

MAYBE IF I WANDER AROUND THIS DEPARTMENT STORE SOMETHING WILL COME T' ME!

MENS' SUITS & O'COATS

FURNITURE SEC

PERHAPS SOME OF TH' SALES-PEOPLE CAN GIVE ME AN IDEA OR TWO!

UH---PARDON ME--- WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE FOR CHRISTMAS?

WHY, YOU SA-WEET MAN! I'D LOVE A CHINCHILLA WRAP!-OR EVEN A SABLE WOULD DO!

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I'VE ASKED A DOZEN CLERKS, BUT NOT ONE HAS COME UP WITH A GOOD SUGGESTION FOR BLANCHE'S CHRISTMAS GIFT! I'M GETTIN' DESPERATE!

I'LL SEE TH' SUPERINTENDENT OF TH' STORE! HE OUGHTA BE FULL OF IDEAS!

IS TH' STORE SUPERINTENDENT IN?

GO RIGHT IN, BUT I WARN YOU, HE'S IN A TERRIBLE MOOD!

A. G. DAVIS SUPERINTENDE... PRIVATE

I WONDER IF YOU COULD HELP--- HEY, WHA'S TH' MATTER? I SHOULD THINK YOU'D BE IN GREAT SPIRITS! BUSINESS SO GOOD AND---

OH. BUSINESS IS GREAT! BUT I'M IN TERRIBLE TROUBLE---

I HAVEN'T THE SLIGHTEST IDEA IN THE WORLD WHAT TO GET MY WIFE FOR CHRISTMAS!

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